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# H. R. 3876

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FEBRUARY 1, 2012

Mr. RIVERA introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Natural Resources

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## A BILL

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1       *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*  
2       *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3       **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

4       This Act may be cited as the “Reinforcing Existing  
5       Permit Sanctions On Leases Act”.

1 **SEC. 2. RESTRICTION ON ELIGIBILITY FOR LEASES.**

2 (a) RESTRICTION.—The Secretary of the Interior  
3 shall not issue any lease of Federal lands (including sub-  
4 merged lands) to—

5 (1) any person who has violated the Trading  
6 with the Enemy Act (50 U.S.C. App. 1 et seq.);

7 (2) any person who conducts business with a  
8 state sponsor of terrorism; or

9 (3) any person 5 percent or more of which is  
10 owned or controlled by one or more persons who  
11 conduct business with a state sponsor of terrorism.

12 (b) DEFINITION.—In subsection (a), the term “state  
13 sponsor of terrorism” means any country the government  
14 of which the Secretary of State has determined has repeat-  
15 edly provided support for acts of international terrorism  
16 pursuant to—

17 (1) section 6(j) of the Export Administration  
18 Act of 1979 (50 U.S.C. App. 2405(j)) (as continued  
19 in effect pursuant to the International Emergency  
20 Economic Powers Act);

21 (2) section 620A of the Foreign Assistance Act  
22 of 1961 (22 U.S.C. 2371); or

23 (3) section 40 of the Arms Export Control Act  
24 (22 U.S.C. 2780).

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